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In re Application of
Chen et al.
Application No. 09/932,842
Filed: August 17, 2001
Attorney Docket No. 7780/17 (T00343)

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Decision on Petition

In re Application of
Chen et al.
Application No. 09/929,509
Filed: August 14, 2001
Attorney Docket No. 7780/17 (T00343)

Letter

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.181 to withdraw the holding of abandonment.
The petition was filed for application no. 09/932,842.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.181 is **dismissed as moot**.

Facts:

Application No. 09/929,509 was filed on August 14, 2001.

Application No. 09/932,842 was filed on August 17, 2001.

For both applications, Notices to File Missing Parts were mailed on September 20, 2001.

A timely response was filed for application no. 09/932,842.

A timely response was not filed for application no. 09/929,509.

On June 30, 2003, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed for application no. 09/929,509.

On July 11, 2003, various papers were filed by petitioner.

The papers located in the file for application no. 09/932,842 include:

- (1) a transmittal form bearing application no. 09/929,842 - which is not one of petitioner's applications;
- (2) a copy of the Notice of Abandonment mailed for application no. 09/929,509;
- (3) a petition to revive bearing application no. 09/932,842;
- (4) a postcard receipt bearing application no. 09/932,842; and
- (5) copies of the papers for application no. 09/932,842, previously timely submitted.

The only paper located in the file for application no. 09/929,509, is a paper filed July 11, 2003.
The paper is a copy of the declaration for 09/932,842.

Analysis:

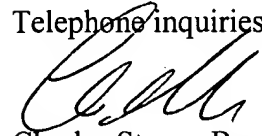
Application No. 09/932,842 cannot be revived because it has never been abandoned or held to be abandoned.

Application No. 09/929,509 remains abandoned.

The file for Application No. 09/932,842 is being forwarded to the examiner in Technology Center 2686 for review in due course.

The file for Application No. 09/929,509 is being forwarded to Files Repository.

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